

It is Filled with Refugees from Richmond and Petersburg.

The Richmond and Danville Railroad Destroyed.

Also, the Petersburg and Lynchburg Railroad.

BRIDGES, TIES, RAILS AND STOCK BURNED

Seventy Miles of Railroad Wiped Out.

SHARP FIGHT ON THE RETURN.

OUR FORCES INTERCEPTED.

The Sixth Corps Sent to Help Them.

PETERSBURG BEING SHELLED.

NO MORE SERIOUS FIGHTING

Special Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Friday, July 1, 1864.

C. A. P. sends the following:

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

Wednesday, June 29-10 p. m.

At length, Wilson's cavalry expedition, which marched

nine days ago with the purpose of destroying the

Danville Railroad, has been heard from through other

than Rebel sources.

Capt. Whitaker of Wilson's staff, with an escort of

40 men, left the head of the returning column at Reims

Station, on the Weldon Road, fifteen miles below Pe-

tersburg, early this morning, and reached Meade's

headquarters at 11 a. m.

He slashed his way through a column of Rebel in-

fantry, which was moving down to intercept our cav-

alry, losing in the dash, 25 of his 40, but he got through.

Wilson's command consists of his own and Kautz's

divisions. Not halting on the way out to more than

temporarily break the Weldon Road, which he did at

Reims Station, he moved rapidly to Burkeville, the in-

tersection of the Danville and Richmond and the Peters-

burg and Lynchburg Roads, 50 miles from Richmond.

Then to the work of destruction with all the might of

thousands of active men.

Up to this time he met but little opposition. With

headquarters at Burkeville, he dispatched commands

in each of the four directions where lay a railroad. In

this way, on the Danville road he burned bridges forty

miles apart, and thoroughly destroyed, to the burning

of every tie and the twisting of every rail, some twenty

miles between.

On the Petersburg and Lynchburg road he utterly

destroyed thirty miles, and fired bridges outside of that

distance.

Having effected the object of his raid, he now looked

out for his lines of retreat, already threatened by gall-

ing Rebels.

He turned to come back. He met skirmishing, right

left, front, rear, but nothing but easily ridden through

until last night at Stony Creek, on the Weldon road, 18

miles below here. There the enemy had concentrated in

his front, and themselves attacked late in the afternoon,

and a severe engagement ensued, lasting into the night.

He met the same force that had been dealing with

Sheridan north of Richmond. The result does not

seem to have been decisive, although the losses sus-

tained and inflicted were large. Long last night he

turned the enemy's flank, coming in between him and

Petersburg, preferring that to the other flank and a

longer march.

So far as the force he had been fighting is concerned,

the move seems to have been successful. He eluded it,

and would have reached our lines by noon, but for the

Rebel infantry column which Capt. Whitaker dis-

covered and rode through.

What new plan he adopted on meeting this new element

in the problem of his return—whether he decided to

Temperance

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NEW-YORK, SATURDAY, JULY 2, 1864.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

FROM SHERMAN'S ARMY. TWO DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

THE REBELS ONCE MORE PLANNED

THEY ABANDON KENESAW MOUNTAIN.

THEIR ASSAULT ON THE 23D ULT.

Is Repulsed, with 300 Dead on Their Side.

EWELL SAID TO SUCCEED JOHNSTON.

HEAVY FIRING ON SUNDAY AND MONDAY.

PROBABLY A SEVERE BATTLE.

NASHVILLE, Friday, July 1, 1864.
Your correspondent with the 15th Corps, under date of June 24, says:

On the 23d, Gen. Hood's corps, in Gen. McPherson's front, was withdrawn. The movement seems to have been commenced on the 21st. Gen. Schofield, on our right, moved forward, after the capture of Pine Mountain, and crossed the Chickasaw Creek, followed by Gen. Hooker. There Gen. Sherman found him, at a right angle to the Rebel line on Kenesaw Mountain. Johnston was compelled by this movement to change his direction, it being north and south, and still covering Marietta. Gen. Sherman, however, kept moving his right flank southward, thus compelling the Rebels to abandon Kenesaw, and lengthen their line southward. The object of the maneuvering on our part was to compel Johnston to occupy ground whose natural advantages for defensive battle would be so great as at Kenesaw. Our efforts are so far successful, but the enemy still hold high ground about the head waters of the numerous streams rising near Marietta.

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On the 24th, Gen. Ewell was reported to have relieved Gen. Johnston, who goes to command at Richmond. The truth of this report is not known, but Ewell is believed to be at Marietta.

The indications are that a battle will take place near where the armies are massed, as Johnston is so closely pressed that he cannot get away beyond the river safely.

We have nothing later by mail. A gentleman who left the front on the 27th reports heavy firing on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. He knows nothing of the details of the battles, but reports large numbers of wounded sent to the rear.

Gen. C. O. Harker died of his wounds on Tuesday. Gen. Hooker was reported wounded, but it is thought his name has been confounded with Harker's.

Deaths of Soldiers

IN THE HOSPITALS IN AND ABOUT NEW-YORK.

For the week ending June 25, 1864.

REPORTED BY THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE.

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ARRIVAL OF THE ARABIA.

Fight Between the Alabama and the Kearsarge off Cherbourg.

THE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN WAR.

The London Conference Again Adjourned.

ENGLAND CLAMOROUS FOR WAR.

France Declines to Co-operate with Her.

The Meeting of Sovereigns at Kissingen.

The Royal mail steamship Arabia, which left Liverpool at 8:30 on the morning of the 18th, and Queenstown on the evening of the 19th June arrived here yesterday.

The Cunard steam-ship Hecla left Liverpool simultaneously with the Arabia, for New-York direct, as an extra boat, to accommodate the cargo export.

The steamer Caladonia, from New-York, arrived at Glasgow on the 17th.

The steamer Westminster, from New-York, passed Cape Clear on the evening of the 16th June.

Great Britain.

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Commercial Intelligence.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.—The funds on the 17th were flat, and consols declined a fraction, closing at 89½. The discount market was active about 6½ per cent, and the applications at the Bank were numerous at the reduced minimum of 4½ per cent. Foreign securities were much depressed.

The weekly Bank returns show an increase of £261,076 in the bullion.

AMERICAN SECURITIES.—Haring Bros. and Co. say: American stocks continue to be neglected, and all quotations would be nominal.

LIVERPOOL, June 18.—Mr. COTTON.—The Brokers' Circular says: "The better descriptions of Cotton which have been steadily advancing during the last three weeks have been very extensive demand with a bare supply offering, enabling holders to obtain a further advance of about 1½ p. 100, while the common qualities remain heavy and barely support last week's quotations, although the reduction of the Bank rate to 4½ per cent was in favor of the market. American has become very scarce at 6½ p. 100, and is in active demand, particularly for export. Egyptian is 1½ p. 100 higher. Suez and China are freely offered, but show an improving tone. Sales of the week, 17,196 bales, including 5,800 to speculators, at 150 for export. Yesterday (Friday) the market was very firm with sales of about 6,000 bales, including 3,000 for export and speculation. The quotations are: Fair Orleans, 20½; Middling, 20½; Fair, 20½; Middling, 20½; Fair Upland, 21½; Middling, 21½. Stock on hand, 304,734 bales, including 17,664 American. At sea from India, 275,000 bales.

TRADE AT MANCHESTER.—The better qualities of Yarn and Cloth are firmer and tending upward, but inferior descriptions continue dull and irregular. The market generally is inactive.

PROVISIONS.—Messrs. Gordon, Bruce & Co., Bonh, English Auctioneers, and others report: Beef very dull and partially shade steady. Pork quiet and unchanged. Bacon in fair demand and prices are sustained. Lard slow of sale at 90½ for fine. Tallow dull and unchanged.

PRODUCE.—The Brokers' Circular reports, Ashes quiet at 31 for Pot, and 29½ for Pearls. Sugar steady, closing quiet. Coffee inactive. Cocoa quiet but firm. Corn quiet and steady. Best very dull and partially shade. Pork quiet and steady. Bacon steady. Lard dull at 90½. Tallow dull and steady.

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